

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 967

SENATE BILL NO. 4008

By Stanley

Substituted for: House Bill No. 3923

By Coley

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 9, relative to motor vehicles used in driver education and training courses.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-9-102, is amended by adding a new subdivision thereto, as follows:

() On motor vehicles used for the driver education and training course for Class D vehicles as provided by Section 55-50-322(f), there may be equipped amber light-emitting diode (LED) lights on the front and rear of such motor vehicles only if such lights are not placed in the driver's line of sight.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-9-402, is amended by adding a new subsection thereto, as follows:

() Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, nothing in this section shall prohibit a motor vehicle used for the driver education and training course for Class D vehicles as provided by Section 55-50-322(f) from operating an amber light-emitting diode (LED) light system on the front and rear of such vehicle other than in the taillight lamp, stoplight area, or factory-installed emergency flasher and backup light area. Such light system shall not be placed in the driver's line of sight. Nothing in this subsection imposes any duty or obligation to install or utilize the lighting system allowed in this subsection.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 1, 2008



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 19th day of May 2008



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